

Present Simple Negative

don't / doesn't. 4 exercises + answer key

NAME _____

DATE _____

KEY RULE:

I/you/we/they + don't + base verb. He/she/it + doesn't + base verb.

1 Exercise 1

EASY

Choose the correct negative form (don't / doesn't + verb).

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| 1. I ____ coffee in the evening. (don't drink / doesn't drink) | 2. She ____ in London now. (don't live / doesn't live) |
| 3. We ____ TV after school. (don't watch / doesn't watch) | 4. He ____ football on Mondays. (don't play / doesn't play) |
| 5. They ____ lunch at home. (don't eat / doesn't eat) | 6. It ____ very fast. (don't move / doesn't move) |
| 7. You ____ French at school. (don't study / doesn't study) | 8. My dad ____ in a bank. (don't work / doesn't work) |
| 9. We ____ to bed late. (don't go / doesn't go) | 10. Anna ____ tea in the morning. (don't drink / doesn't drink) |

2 Exercise 2

MEDIUM

Type the correct negative form (e.g. don't like / doesn't work).

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| 1. He ____ in a restaurant. (work) | 2. I ____ pizza on Mondays. (eat) |
| 3. They ____ English at home. (speak) | 4. She ____ coffee in the evening. (drink) |
| 5. We ____ to school on Sundays. (go) | 6. It ____ at night. (work) |
| 7. You ____ tea in the morning. (like) | 8. My parents ____ TV after dinner. (watch) |
| 9. She ____ fast food. (eat) | 10. We ____ music at night. (listen) |

3 Exercise 3

HARD

Choose the correct negative sentence. Watch for common mistakes!

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| 1. He ____ to school by bus. (doesn't go / doesn't goes) | 2. I ____ chocolate. (don't like / don't likes) |
| 3. They ____ early on Sundays. (don't start / don't starts) | 4. She ____ breakfast at 6 o'clock. (doesn't eat / doesn't eats) |
| 5. We ____ Spanish at school. (don't study / doesn't study) | 6. It ____ in the morning. (doesn't rain / doesn't rains) |
| 7. You ____ books every day. (don't read / don't reads) | 8. My brother ____ football. (doesn't play / doesn't plays) |
| 9. They ____ at home on Fridays. (don't stay / doesn't stay) | 10. She ____ orange juice. (doesn't drink / doesn't drinks) |

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Exercise 4

HARDER

Complete each sentence with the correct negative form in Present Simple.

1. I ____ TV at night. (watch)

3. We ____ to school on Saturday. (go)

5. They ____ English at home. (speak)

7. You ____ breakfast at 5 o'clock. (eat)

9. We ____ lunch at home. (eat)

2. He ____ tea in the morning. (drink)

4. She ____ chocolate. (eat)

6. It ____ very fast. (move)

8. Anna ____ to the gym. (go)

10. My cat ____ milk. (drink)

Answer Key

Check your answers below

1 Exercise 1 Easy: don't / doesn't

1 don't drink

2 doesn't live

3 don't watch

4 doesn't play

5 don't eat

6 doesn't move

7 don't study

8 doesn't work

9 don't go

10 doesn't drink

2 Exercise 2 Medium: type negative form

1 doesn't work

2 don't eat

3 don't speak

4 doesn't drink

5 don't go

6 doesn't work

7 don't like

8 don't watch

9 doesn't eat

10 don't listen

3 Exercise 3 Hard: correct negative sentence

1 doesn't go

2 don't like

3 don't start

4 doesn't eat

5 don't study

6 doesn't rain

7 don't read

8 doesn't play

9 don't stay

10 doesn't drink

4 Exercise 4 Harder: complete negative sentence

1 don't watch

2 doesn't drink

3 don't go

4 doesn't eat

5 don't speak

6 doesn't move

7 don't eat

8 doesn't go

9 don't eat

10 doesn't drink